

[Report No. 216.]

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MARCH 3, 1859.

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Mr. MAYNARD, from the Committee of Claims, reported the following bill :

A BILL

Declaratory of the acts for carrying into effect the ninth article of the treaty of eighteen hundred and nineteen between the United States and Spain.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the acts of third of March, eighteen hundred and twenty-
4 three, and twenty-sixth of June, eighteen hundred and thirty-
5 four, passed to carry into effect the ninth article of the treaty
6 of eighteen hundred and nineteen between the United States
7 and Spain, shall be so construed as to require the Secretary
8 of the Treasury to pay to the persons authorized to receive
9 the same, out of the appropriation made by the aforesaid acts,
10 that portion of the damages awarded by the United States
11 judges in East Florida, under the name of interest, as a just

12 and necessary part of the satisfaction stipulated by the treaty,
13 so far as the original value of the property, as awarded by the
14 said judges, has been approved at the Treasury Department.

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